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Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to  
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one(1) month(s) from September 12, 2003 to October 12, 2003. An Amendment  
responding to the aforesaid Office Action is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0750/ORT1588/RRP in the name of  
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